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## **Election**

Dear Sir:

In response to Examiner's Restriction Requirement mailed October 4, 2004, Applicant herein elects Group I, claims 1-9 and 27-30, without traverse for further prosecution in this application (although not included in Group I by Examiner, claims 29-30 depend from claim 28, which was included in Group I).

Please contact Applicant's attorney with any questions regarding this matter.

Respectfully submitted

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